

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY  
UNITED STATES CUSTOMS SERVICE

Approved Through 06/30/96  
OMB No. 1515-0052

PETITION FOR REMISSION OR MITIGATION OF FORFEITURES  
AND PENALTIES INCURRED

19 U.S.C. 1618; 19 CFR 171.11

1. PORT	2. SEIZURE CASE NO.
---------	---------------------

3. DESCRIPTION OF MERCHANDISE
-------------------------------

4. NAME	5. ADDRESS
---------	------------

I petition for the release of the seized above-described merchandise and for relief from the liability incurred because of the following mitigating circumstances.

6. SIGNATURE	7. ADDRESS	8. DATE
--------------	------------	---------

Paperwork Reduction Act Notice: The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980 says we must tell you why we are collecting this information, how we will use it, and whether you have to give it to us. We ask for this information to carry out the Customs Service laws of the United States. This form is used by those persons who are requesting mitigation of a penalty or remission of a forfeiture which has been incurred under the Customs laws or a law administered by Customs. Completion of the form will permit the authorized Customs officer to grant mitigation or remission. It is required that the form be completed to obtain this benefit.

The estimated average burden associated with this collection of information is 15 minutes per respondent or recordkeeper depending on individual circumstances. Comments concerning the accuracy of this burden estimate and suggestions for reducing this burden should be directed to U.S. Customs Service, Paperwork Management Branch, Washington DC 20229. **DO NOT** send completed form(s) to this office.